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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Receipt of the official filing receipt for the above identified patent application is hereby acknowledged. That filing receipt has been reviewed for accuracy and the following errors have been noted:

The filing fee received should be --2894-- not "3074"

The total claims should be --135-- not "145"

A copy of the filing receipt is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a copy of a Request for Refund which is being filed concurrently with this paper.

The remaining information on the filing receipt appears to be correct. However, correction of filing fee received and total claims as noted above is respectfully requested.

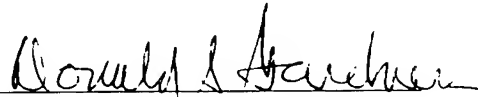
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Foreign Applications

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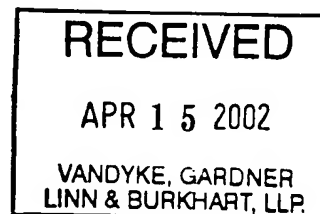
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Title

Interior mirror assembly for a vehicle incorporating a solid-state light source



Preliminary Class

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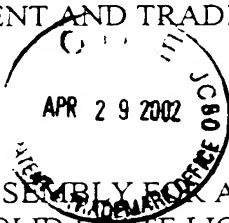
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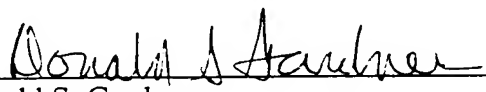
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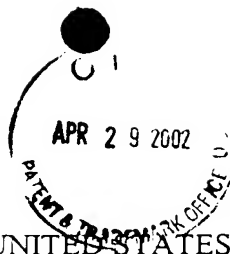
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REQUEST FOR REFUND

Applicants filed the above-identified patent application on February 25, 2002, paying a total filing fee of \$2894. This filing fee was calculated on the basis that there were 135 claims (115 claims in excess of 20) and 4 independent claims (1 independent claim in excess of 3).

A review of the official filing receipt indicates that the filing fee received was "\$3074" and that the total claims are "145."

A printout of our Deposit Account Statement for the month of March 2002 shows a charge made to the Deposit Account on March 4, 2002, for \$180 for the above-identified patent application. A copy of that printout is enclosed.

Since the total of the filed claims listed on the official filing receipt is incorrect and should be 135, and total charge for the filed claims should be \$2894, it is requested that the excess filing fee in the amount of \$180 be refunded and credited to Deposit Account No.

22-0190. A notice of such refund to the undersigned counsel for Applicants is respectfully requested.

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